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358,602 OF FOE IK EAST DRIVE

Brusiloff's Armies Advance on 75-Mile Front Closer to Galicia Capital.

MORE VILLAGES CAPTURED

Czar's Forces Menace Plains of Hungary by Capture of Jab-Ionitza Pass.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 16.-Russian armies under General Brushoff from June 4 to August 13, captured 358,602 Austro-German prisoners, and 405 cannons, it was officially announced today.

Other booty included 1,325 machine guns, 338 mine and bomb throwers, and 292 powder carts.

Despite stubborn enemy resistance, the Russians advanced on a 75-mile front, from the Carpathians to a point southwest of Tarnopol, in yesterday's fighting, occupying two villages.

South of Brzezeny, another Russian detachment crossed the Zleta Lipa river. Austro-German counter attacks then checked a further advance.

Flerce fighting is going on in the angle of the Zlota Lips and the Dniester, near Stanislau. In the face of desperate enemy resistance the Russians advanced their lines further toward the railway town of Halitz.

ADVANCE BELOW STANISLAU. Southeast of Stanislau, the right wing the Ziota Bistritza river.

followed up their victories forcing the would not affect the case, as enemy to retire westward from the region of Delatyn and Vorochta and capturing a height west of Vorochta and Ardsemos.

Russ Menace Hungary.

General Brustloff has renewed his sen-eral offensive all slong the Galician hattle front. He is striking his hardest blows at the extreme ends of the Austro-German

lines.
Alarmed by this new activity, the German Kaiser has hurried to the Eastern theater of war and is in conference with his first lieutenant, Field Marshal with his first lieutenant, Fleid marana, yon Hindenburg.
Striking in the Carpathians, fifteen miles south of Delatyn, the Russians have captured Jablonitsa, menacing both the finnk of the Austro-Germana and Jablonitsa pass, one of the main gateways into the Hungarian plains.
General Brusiloff continues to hund his men across the Ziota Lipa river. (Continued on Third Page.)

Germany Not After Indies, Says Jagow

Foreign Secretary Denies Empire Ever Had Designs on · Islands.

BERLIN (via wireless to Sayville, L. I.), Aug. 16.-Foreign Secretary von Jagow today flatly denied that Germany Jagow today fiatly denied that Germany ever had any designs on the Danish West Indies, commenting on English reports that it was fear that Germany would buy the islands as the Grat step in an assault on the Monroe Doctrine that inspired the United States to negotiate for their purchase.

"I only know of these reports through the newspapers," said the fogeign secretary, "but of one thing I am absolutely certain. That is, that Germany is antagonistic to nobody, and has no intention of disturbing the sovereign BRANDEIS' REFUSAL BRANDEIS' REFUSAL DEFERDS COMPENDENT.

Senate Is Considering West Indies Purchase

The Senate Foreign Relations Com tion of the treaty for the purchase of the Danish West Indies for \$25,000,000 Despits strong opposition from Senator Bornh it was expected to be favorably reported either late today or tomorrow.

Bombs Nearly Hit American Consul

Consulate At Venice is Showered With Fragments in Latest Austrian Raid.

ROME. Aug. 16.—Aug.rian air raiders nearly hit the Univide States consulate at Venice in the ir recent raid, it was learned today. Jombs exploded within thirty yards of the building, showering it with fragments. United States Consul B. Harsay Carroll and his staff were badly in ightened.

NO ANGLO-GERMAN TIES AFTER WAR ENDS

LONDON, Aug. 16.-England may not resume diplomatic relations with Germany after the end of the war until Germany makes full reparation for the execution of Captain Fryatf and similar alleged outrages, Premier Asquith intimated in the House of Commons today.

Edward Carson asked if, in view of the Fryatt and other cases, England was prepared to resume diplomatic intercourse with Germany after the war.

Premier Asquith said that in the opinion of the cabinet, the country would not tolerate a resumption of diplomatic intercourse with Germany until reparation had been made. The cabinet, he added, is consulting England's allies as to the best method for securing such reparation.

LONDON INQUIRING HUGHES PLEADS FOR PIERCE CASE EFFICIENT AMERICA

Candidate Takes New Line of

Committee Sends Data.

By PERRY ARNOLD.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 16 .- Charles

doctrine of "America first and Ameri-ca efficient," in Oregon—the State

Makes New Charge.

At Tacoma he added a new charge

that it required a Republican emerg-

Cheers for Roosevelt.

Vociferous cheers greeted Hughes' first direct reference during the tour to

Senate Calls for

Civil Service Data

Asks List of Executive Orders Ex

empting Appointees From

Examination.

Two resolutions relating to appoint

istration offered by Senator Penros

vice Commission for a list of the executive orders exempting appointees from civil service requirements.

Senator Penrose provided in his original resolution for this information from

March, 1913.

It was amended at the instance of Senator Pomerene to include the entire period beginning with the first Administration of President Cleveland.

The other resolution calls on the State Department for information as to the number of employes appointed to the department since June, 1913, and the number of them who have been appointed outside the civil service.

Daniels Details Captain As Naval

Attache of American Em-

bassy There.

Post in London

McDougall Gets

were adopted in the Senate today.

March, 1913.

made under the present Admin-

resolution calls on the Civil Ser

ivans Hughes today preached his

Attack on Administration.

Socialist Congressman Interested in Arrest of Orator for Speaking Without Permit.

Meyer London, Socialist Congressman, nnounced today he was investigating the case of Julian Pierce, the Societist arrested here Monday night for holding street meeting without a permit.

Mr. London said he was looking into

in defense of Pierce in the Police Court next Tuesday, but that he would give next Tuesday, but that he would give the defendant the benefit of his advice. Pierce's first day in the Washington jail has convinced him of one thing: it is a poor place to prepare his defense.

The Socialist speaker, who yester.

The Socialist speaker, who yesterday in Police Court frowned on the thought of giving bond and elected to go to jail for a week "to prepare his case and engage counsel," came to ency currency measure to tide the this realisation when he found the Democratic party through the panicky

case and engage counsel," came to this realisation when he found the jail did not contain a law library.

The result may be that Pierce will take the advice advanced by his brother, E. W. Pierce, and seek his release on bond to prepare for trial Tuesday before Judge Pugh.

Pierce's brother today said that because of the District's lone Socialist fawyer a further continuance of the case may be sought next Tuesday.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Roger Whiteford, who will prosecute Pierce, said the case would not be dismissed. He said Commissioner Brownlow's assertion that the Socialist party could have a permit to speak whenever it desired would not affect the case, as it was same to tide the Democratic party through the panicky days at the beginning of the Wilson Administration.

It is known the governor has recently the fact of the data from the national committee in New York, including one \$75 telegram. This is a treasure house of information for his big speeches, the candidate will attempt to strike a new blow at his political opponents.

Seattle last night accorded Hughes the greatest demonstration he has yet when compared with the amounts available in New York, Philadelphia, and Nawark for meeting such a situation. At the conference tomorrow general discussion of preventive methods will be discussed. The railready to the discussion of preventive methods will be discussed. The railready to the meeting such a situation. At the conference tomorrow general discussion of preventive methods will be discussed. The railready to the Health Department today. The patient was a boy twelve years old. The saste as by twelve years old. The saste as a boy twelve years old. The saste as a boy twelve years of the tide flow.

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Raise in Milk Price Starts 3 Inquiries

N. Y. District Attorney, State Food Commissioner, and Legislative Committee Get Evidence.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- Three inquiries are under way into action of many retail milk dealers in raising the price of bottled milk from 5 to 6 cents a pint, while continuing the price of a quart at 9 cents.

The State department of foods and markets started an investigation and District Attorney Swann instructed his assistants, who are getting data concerning the milk situation, to ascertain just why the price of a pint

of milk has been advanced.

Coincident with the beginning of investigations by the district attorney and State food and markets commission came announcement from Albany that the committee of which Senator Charles Wicks is chairman, and which has been investigating milk conditions up State, will come to New Fork August 25 to start an investigation of recent increases in price of bottled milk. Since last Saturday when the existence of eight pigeonholed indictments Since last Saturday when the existence of eight pigeonholed indictments found in 1910 against as many former directors of the Consolidated Milk Exchange was discovered the district attyrney's office has been gathering information, records, and evidence from different parts of the State.

All the data is being assembled now, but Judge ESwann hasn't got quite all the facts that he wants and when he does he will decide what action he will take in the matter of the pigeonholed bills.

DEFERS CONFERENCE

Work of Mexican-American Commission Delayed.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 16.-Justice Brandels' refusal to serve on the commi to settle Mexican and American diffi-culties will defer the meeting of the commission indefinitely, Foreign Secre-tary Aguilar said today.

President Wilson expects to com-plets today or tomorrow the per-sonnel of the American commission. With the withdrawal of Associate Justice Brandeis, Interior Secretary Lane is the only member who has thus far been formally named.

More Cool Weather in Sight for Tomorrow

Secretary of the Navy Daniels today detailed Capt. W. D. McDougall,
now on duty at the Naval Observatory
in Washington, as naval attachs of the
American embassy in London. He will
succeed Commander Powers Symington,
who has been ordered to Washington to
await orders.
Commander J. H. Dayton, assistant
chief of the Bureau of Navigation, was
assigned to command the receiving ship
at Norfolk and the naval training station at St. Helens, va.
Commander D. W. Wurishaugh, who
has been releved as aide to Secretary
Daniels. will leave next week for Los
Angeles for a brief rest. He will be
given command of a vessel within a
abort time.
Tomorrow
h moderate More cool weather is promined by the weather man in the forecast for today. The rain will let up this afternoon, it is stated, and tonight will be partly cloudy, but no hot weather is in eight, for at least thirty-six hours. Tomorrow to probably will be fair with moderate temperature.

New Regulations Likely to Follow Conference on Paralysis Tomorrow.

ONE NEW CASE IS REPORTED

Boy of Twelve Stricken With Scourge in 100 Block of Florida Avenue Today.

Dr. W. C. Woodward, Health Officer of the District, today said that, following the conference between State health officers and officials of the Public Health Service tomorrow, he probably will recommend to the Commissioners changes in the regulations governing infantile paralysis

Thirty-eight States and Territories will be represented at the conference at the headquarters of the Public Health Service. The first session will Mr. London said he was looking into the matter purely for the purpose of Bupreme Bench, instructed for him in the primaries.

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Dr. Woodward has just returned from an investigation of infantile paralysis conditions and methods used in fighting the disease in New York, Philadelphia, and Newark. Dr. Woodward pointed out that New

Dr. Woodward pointed out that New York regulations provide that all children less than sixteen in the same house with a patient must be quarantined. In Philadelphia the quarantine extends to the entire household.

One additional case of infantile paralysis was reported to the Health Department today. The patient was a boy twelve years old. The case is located in the 180 block of Florida avenue northwest. The total number of cases now on record in the District is

his trip, Dr. Woodward said: first direct reference during the tour to Rocseveit. He did not mention the name of the former President, but the reference was unmistakable. It was in connection with a satirical shaft at the Democratic claim of "excitability" when preparedness first become an issue. Hughes said:

"Then, a stalwart figure, appeared before the Amreican people, told them a few things, and then the Administration changed its mind."

Hughes bitterly assailed Democratic control of army and navy and promised "competent and efficient" men in the army and navy portfolios if he was elected.

"What most impressed me was the liberal amounts provided by the municipal authorities for checking the socurge." said Dr. Woodward. "New York has unlimited funds from which to draw under an emergency clause in its charter. Philadelphia has appropriated \$25,000. and when the city council meets in September. more will be provided is needed.
"Newark has a fund of \$5,000 with the promise that it will be increased if conditions demand it. The fund for personal segvices, employment of personal services, employment of physicians, etc—in the local Health Department last year amounted to \$12,000.

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"A similar amount is asked for in the pending District appropriate bil. Last year even under ordnary condtons the fund became exhaused, and it was necessary to call upon the District emergency fund of \$0,000 to the extent of \$1.314.

"If an epidemic should strike here when Congress is in session there i no doubt that an appropriation would be provided immediately. If Congress is not in session we would be confronted with a serious situation."

LONDON UNALARMED BY BABY PLAGUE

LONDON, Aug. 16.-Replying to demand for a quarantine against New York children because of the infantile paraiysis epidemic. Waiter Hums Long, prasident of the local government board, informed Commons this afternoon that no special measures were needed to handle the situation. A number of cases have been re-ported in London, he said, scattered over a considerable period, but he be-lieved the ordinary machinery of the health authorities sufficient to control

Epidemic Shows Fresh Decrease in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.-The infantile four hours given out by the health de-

day.

It is understood that the board of education will defer the opening of the public schools for two weeks, or until september 26, hoping that by that time cool weather will have checked the epidemic.

Fitsen children, the first discharged as cured, have left Willard Parker Hospital. Of the fitsen all but one must wear braces and splints for at least two years, and one may be crippied for life.

BALTIMORE "MOVIE"

BALTIMORE, Aug. M.—Health Com-missioner Blake has suspended his order prohibiting children less than thirteen years old from attending motion picture theaters here.

The order was one of the steps in the preventive fight against infantile parair-

CHANGES TO BE RAILROAD SITUATION STILL IS DEADLOCKED; PEACE UP TO



W. S. CARTER. President of the Brotherhood of Firemen, Who Submitted President's Proposal to Men in New York Today.

Reinstated.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- A renewal of

the street car strike that badly eripples

New York's surface lines last week ap-

peared certain today unless the New York railways reinstate twenty-five

Union officials charged today that the managing heads of the railways deliber-ately violated the agreement under

which the men returned to work, in dis

acter of \$250,000,000 Gold

Note Issue.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Details of the new British loan were announced

by J. P. Morgan & Co., today.

The issue will be for \$250,000,000 to

two-year 5 per cent secured loan gold notes to be dated September 1, 1916, with interest payable semi-an-

nually.
At the option of the British gov-

ernment the notes may be redeemed in whole or in part on thirty days

notice on any day until and includ-ing August \$1, 1917, at 101 and ac

crued interest and on any day there-

after until their expiration, at 100 %

posit with the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of New York, of 4300,000,000 worth of securities which have been approved by Morgan & Co.

with accrued interest.

union conductors and motormen charged following the strike.

Society Horseman of Washing- Walk Out Seems Certain Unless at Tricourt.

Major William Alexander Trotter, known throughout the Virginia "horse country" and in society circles of Washington and Richmond, as Alec Trotter, has been killed in the Euro-Advices received by friends here say

that Trotter, a familiar figure at horse shows here and in Virginia for years, went to his death in action at Tricourt, France, July 12. His death

count Hedley as having promised better was the survives him. He was fond of fox-hunting and was a friend of Edward Fellowes, former master of hounds of the Washington Riding and Hunt Club, who is also an officer in the British army. He British army. He bad refused all leaves of absence. He was a neubew of Lady Blomfield of England, and married Minaments work of the was a neubew of Lady Blomfield of England, and married Minaments work of the was a neubew of Lady Blomfield of England, and married Minaments work of the surface cars dispute was settled amicably.

Announce:

Announ He had refused all leaves of absence.

He was a needow of Lady Biomfield of England, and married Miss
Cameron Browning, daughter of a
West Virginia coal operator.

Definite word has been received by
Mrs. Trotter that her husband was
buried with full military honors at
Tricourt, a short distance from where
he was killed.

America Will Hold

Islands, Says Borah

Warns Philippiens Only War Will Sever Them From United States.

Senator Borah warned the Philippine paralysis epidemic again registered a decline in figures for the last twenty-four hours given out by the health department today.
One hundred and thirty-three new "could sever these eastern possess were reported, compared with 163 from the United States.
Yesterday. There were thirty-four deaths, against thirty-nine the previous day.
It is understood that the board of education will defer the opening of the public schools for two weeks, or until giving notice that if the Republicans gained the Government, they would ignore it. sained the Government, they would ignore it.

"Investments of interests powerful in shaping legislation in this country have increased. Twenty years from new, there will have been formed a sentiment which will make it impossible under any circumstances which the human mind can imagine, for them to become from."

TIMORE "MOVIE"

BAN IS SUSPENDED

THE American people want Philipping independence now, declared control its just our investment was one of the steps in the interest of the american form of government to retain them.

The American people want Philipping independence now, declared Senator Vardaman. "It is just our investors here."

But if these investors can control "But if these investors can control of the steps in the interest will control it? answered Books."

have been approved by Morgan & Co.

A large part of these securities, it is understood, will consist of stocks and bonds of American corporations held in England and recently mobilized by the British government.

One purpose of the loan is to stabilize exchange between the two countries.

The loan is the first ever negotiated by Great Britain here in which it was required that she deposit collateral here as security.

The \$300,000,000 collateral must include \$100,000,000 worth of American securities, \$100,000,000 of securities of the Canadian government or the Canadian Pacific railway, and \$100,000,000 in securities either issued or guaranteed by the following governments: Argentina. Chile, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Denmark, and Holland.

If the value of these securities depreciates so as to impair the 20 per cent margin, more securities must be deposited as collateral.

The loan will be underwritten at \$2. and issued to the public at \$3.

SIX HUNDRED DISTRICT CHAIRMEN START FOR CAPITAL

Accept President's Invitation to Come Here for Conference With Executive.

ROOM FOR HOPE IS SEEN

Head of Firemen's Brotherhood, However, Says Outlook is Serious.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16,-The problem of averting a railroad strike that would paralyze the traffic of the country still rests with President Wilson.

The 600 district chairmen of the four big brotherhoods, representing the 400,000 trainmen, today accept ed the President's invitation so confer with him in Washington tomorrow. No other decision was reached at their meeting here however, and the situation continues deadlocked.

The committee chairmen left for Washington this afternoon with W. S. Carter, head of the firements brotherhood, with their demands for an eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime unamended and backed up by a vote to strike if they are refused.

"ROOM FOR HOPE. Carter regarded the situation as seri ous as at the opening of megotiations, but said there was still "room for bope." He explained that only the chairmen had the power to agree to a compromise such as was suggested by President eight-hour day for a time under the present system of overtime. For this reason the presence of the 600 chairman is necessary in Washington.

Wilson Suspends Mediation Until Trainmen Arrive

Pending the arrival here from New York of the main committee of 600 district brotherhood leaders. Presi-dent Wilson has suspended his services as mediator between the relivereds and their employee in the threatened reli-road strike. He will meet them in

conference tomorrow afternoon.

Keeping in touch with the situation indirectly through Judge William L. Chambers of the Federal board of medical country. ation and describation, the Presider couming his conferences.

Everything appears now to depend on the brotherhoods, who, up to this sime, have conceded nething and have purosed nothing in the way of a co

Makes Proposals. The President has put up to the ployes, after conferences with the managers, a proposal that they met con-tent for the time being with an application of the eight hour day with a 10 per cent increase, instead of a fifty per cent increase as overtime penalty, pending a more comprehen-sive investigation of the application of the eight hour basis by a comm

the eight hour basis by a commission.

That is as far as the nerotistical have gone, the representatives of the protections their failure to answer such a proposal on the ground that they leaded broad shough instructions and must refer the matter back to the committee of 600.

In the meantime, earnest afforts are being made by representatives of the railroad employes who are not members of the brotherhoods—the laborers of the President and urge legislators that would make arbitration in all such disputes compulsory.

Circulating ePtitions.

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These representatives, claiming that they speak for \$0 per cent of all the railroad workers of the country, have been busy circulating petitions probeen busy circulating petitions pro-testing against a strike.

So far, petitions of this kind, signed by 27,100 men on a large number of railroad systems, have been left at the White House for presentation to the Fresident. These men claim that though not desiring a strike, they would lose their positions if the brotherhoods succeeded in tying ap the operation of the roads.

The President conferred briefly te-day with Judge Adamses, chairman of the House Committee on Interestate Commerce, but it could not be learned